

A NOTE CONCERNING
TWO SOUTH AMERICAN ORCHIDS

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Erythrodes platensis (*Hauman*) *L. O. Williams*
comb. nov.

Physurus platensis Hauman in *Anal. Mus. Nac. Hist. Nat. Buenos Aires* 29 (1917) 370, fig. 5.

This species has appeared in a collection of orchids sent to me recently from Argentina by Dr. Arturo Burkart.

The specimen reported from Paraguay is essentially the same as the ones from Argentina.

PARAGUAY: Near Sapucay. August 1913. *Hassler 11899.*

ARGENTINA: Province of Buenos Aires, Delta del Paraná, Arroyo Pajarito. September 18, 1932. *Burkart 4596*; Ribera del Río de la Plata, Isla Santiago. November 31, 1930. *Cabrera 1505.*

Malaxis Reichenbachiana (*Schltr.*) *L. O. Williams*
comb. nov.

Microstylis Reichenbachiana Schlechter in *Fedde Report. Beihefte* 10 (1922) 40.

The specimen referred to below, was sent for determination by Professor Martín Cárdenas of La Paz, Bolivia.

BOLIVIA: Sailapata, Department of Cochabamba. On wet soil in forest. At 2900 meters altitude. November 1935. *Cárdenas 3285.*